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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kazuo ICHIKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1763

Application No.: 09/670,877

Examiner: R. Zervigon

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Docket No.: 107469

For: CVD SUBSTRATE AND CLEANING METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the April 22, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.